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Applicant(s) wish to disclose the following information.

Express Abandonment

Applicant's Representative requests that the above-identified application be expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this paper.

☐ Express Abandonment in Favor of a Continuing Application

Applicant's Representative requests that the above-identified application be expressly abandoned as of the filing date accorded the continuing application filed herewith.

☐ Petition for Express Abandonment to Avoid Publication under 37 C.F.R. 1.138(c)

Applicant's Representative hereby petitions to expressly abandon the above-identified application under 37 CFR 1.138(c) to avoid publication.

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